

THE BANNER

ABOUT HOME.
Extra copies of the Banner, in wrappers, ready for mailing, may be had at the office for 6 cents each.

Indian Murder.—On Friday evening last Nigo, an Indian of the Potawatomi tribe shot and instantly killed another Indian named Bill Marshall, in the eastern part of this county. It seems that he was rather uncivil about entering the house of Nigo, and is reported by other Indians to have been disagreeable, especially when under the influence of liquor, and was somewhat unpopular with his tribe. His appearance at Nigo's house is the alleged cause of the shooting, which seems to have been rather deliberately done with a rifle. He was shortly after found dead in Nigo's door yard by white persons who were passing, whilst the perpetrator of the deed and other Indians present manifested but little or no concern about its enormity or the consequences.

Nigo has had an investigation of his case and discharged upon the plea that he killed Marshall in the justifiable defense of himself and family.

For the Banner.

A Public Meeting.

A resolution was passed by the Washington Temperance Society of Plymouth, on Monday evening last, requesting all the friends of Temperance, and others, to meet at the M. E. Church in this place, on Monday evening next, for the purpose of instructing the Board of Trustees of the town of Plymouth to enforce the ordinance heretofore enacted by that body, prohibiting the sale and use of a beverage, of all that may intoxicate, or that may lead to intemperance. "Come on, come all!"

JNO. S. DODDRIE, Sec'y.

Plymouth, May 4, 1854.

The war news is interesting. Readers tell their neighbors about it, and show them the terms of the Banner—only 50 cents in advance.

From the South Bend Forum.

PRESENT AND FUTURE.

Dear Forum:—After riding for three or four hours, over country roads and half filled ditches, we reached the thriving town of Plymouth, and from the window where I am now sitting, I can look upon the many evidences of improvement. The calm twilight is deepening into the shades of night. It is a fitting time for reflection, and my thoughts wander back some ten years in the history of Plymouth. In 1842 the site where it now stands, as marked by a few log huts, the homes of hardy farmers. But the rich soil of this county soon attracted the attention of many who were seeking homes in the West, and they settled here with the determination of securing permanent homes. As the country progressed in agricultural wealth, Plymouth also enjoyed a steady growth, and to day it has some fifteen hundred inhabitants, and is pleasantly situated on the Michigan road at its junction with Yellow river. Already we are a worthy sight of emulation among her people, and her many fine residences and business houses, fully attest their taste and enterprise. Within the limits of the town we noted some two hundred and fifty houses, among which we marked some that would do credit to places of greater pretensions, but the present does not reveal the bright prospects "that cast their shadows before."

The merchants are doing an extensive business in their line; fully awake to the taste and demands of the good people of Plymouth. We called on C. C. Nelson, (formerly of South Bend) and found the People's Store thronged with business, and fine looking Hoosier boys, all attending to their wants in this well filled store.

Plymouth boasts of a "Banner," of which she seems to be proud. Eloquent and prompt in its attention to the local interests of the place, and able in its editorials, it has secured a large circulation. We hope that its "shadow may never grow less," but continue to rise with the expanding interests of the place. Under the well directed management of its proprietor, Wm. J. Burns, we are assured that the "Banner" will flourish.

The Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad running through this place, is fast progressing, and in the course of eighteen months the "iron horse" will fly over the roaring track, bearing the wealth of Agriculture to various points. The Peru road is also fast progressing, and when these roads are completed to this place, it will be a place of considerable interest. More anon. SOUTH BEND.

Plymouth, April, 1854.

We feel no guilt of egotism in writing our cheek in copying the above from the Forum of last Saturday, and in the name of our town, tender the author all of our warmest thanks for his handsome little tribute. What he has said is markedly said, and without any attempt at exaggeration.

Washington, April 26.—The Union says the Golden Treaty as ratified by the Senate arranges the Mesilla Valley difficulty, provides for an eligible route for a Railway to the Pacific, abrogates the eleventh article of the treaty of Gadsden, and recognizes interference in the transit, granted in 1853 over the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, for all of which privileges the Government pays ten million dollars. The Union intimates that the treaty will lead to a speedy restoration of amicable relations between our Government and Mexico.

As daylight can be seen through the smallest holes, so do the most trifling things show a person's character.

PARDON OF THE CUBAN EXILES.—On the 22d of March, the Queen of Spain issued a proclamation or decree of general amnesty to those persons who participated in the invasion of Cuba. The first article read as follows:

"Always inclined to clemency, I am ready to forget the faults of those of my subjects who, misled by error and dangerous passions, have, against peace and public order in the island of Cuba, attempted to disturb the security of my dominions in the Antilles, and, taking into consideration the reasons that have been laid before me, with the advice of my ministers, I hereby decree:

"I grant a general amnesty to all those who have taken any part, direct or indirect, in conspiracies, rebellions, or foreign invasions, with the object of creating disturbances, or committing any political crime in the island of Cuba;—also to those who, having undergone the process of law, have been condemned (being absent from my dominions,) or have been banished by government authority."

WHAT OBJECTION.—What objection can any democrat have to an act of Congress organizing a Territory which declares it is the true intent and meaning of this act not to legislate slavery into any Territory or State, nor to exclude it therefrom, but to leave the people thereof perfectly free to form and regulate their domestic institutions in their own way, subject only to the Constitution of the United States?—*Free Press.*

GOON.—At one of the missionary stations the question—What is original sin? having been put to an Indian chief, he promptly replied "laziness!"

SPECIAL NOTICES.

New Blanks.—Deeds, Mortgages and Quit Claims of an approved short form, and at a very cheap price, are for sale at this office. Also Blank Notes neatly printed and for sale at the same place.

Wm. J. Burns, Master Commissioner of Marshall County, is empowered by the State of Indiana, to administer all oaths and affidavits which are required by law to take and certify all oaths and depositions, &c.

Always Notary Public, he will acknowledge, execute, and administer all oaths and affidavits, and which are executed at a trifling expense upon application at the Banner office, Plymouth.

Mail Road Notice.

By an order of the Board of Directors of the Fort Wayne and Chicago Rail Road, an assessment of ten percent on each share of the cash subscription of stock has been made, and subscribers will be required to pay that amount on the first of each month—commencing on the first of August last—until the same is paid out. Subscribers in Marshall county will pay at Plymouth.

A. L. WHEELER, Director.

8-20-53. 15c.

Attended near the testing for you on individual gold, and then take it. Be ready—it will cure you.

Cured! A bad case of Scrofula, inherited

Dr. A. L. Wheeler—Dear Sir: I hereby certify that my daughter Cynthia had the Scrofula when a babe, growing worse until she was about 24 years old. She always had sores on her body and limbs, over which dry scabs formed, running water matter, so that she was a pitiful sight to behold, and required great attention. When she was two years and four or five months old, (March, 1851,) by your advice, we began to give her *Liver Balm*, washing at night with weak white ley, and in a few days the sores began to heal, and in a few weeks she was well, and in a few months she was completely cured, and has had no appearance of it since.

Yours in friendship,

Reed's Grove, Will Co. Ill.

See advertisement in this paper.

Dissolution.

The Partnership heretofore existing between G. P. Vanhorn and Joseph Westervelt, under the firm of G. P. Vanhorn & Co., in the lumber business, is dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by G. P. Vanhorn, and the books, notes and accounts of the late firm will be settled by Joseph Westervelt.

G. P. VANHORN, J. WESTERVELT.

April 27, 1854.

A New Two-Horse Wagon for sale by

WESTERVELT & HEWITT.

April 20, 1854.

Ordered By the President and

Trustees of the town of Plymouth that J. C. Osborne Esq., be, and he is hereby appointed prosecuting attorney for the ensuing year, under the order and providing for the appointment of such officer.

R. BROWN, Pres.

Attest—M. W. Smith Clerk.

April 29, 1854.

Jail! Jail!!

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Stark County, Indiana, that sealed proposals for erecting and completing a Jail in the town of Knox in said county, will be received at the June term, 1854, of said Board.

Specifications of said building may be seen any time during business hours, by calling on the Auditor of said county, at his office.

CHAS. HUMPHREYS A. S. C.

Knox, April 30, 1854.

Exciting News!!

PACKARD & FURRY

Have formed a copartnership in the

Grocery & Provision

Trade, and are selling Groceries at very low rates indeed.

We don't expect to undersell our neighbors, but our Groceries were bought low for cash, and if you will call we will insure you value received for your money.

We intend doing a cash business, which will enable us to pay you cash for all kinds of

PRODUCE.

If we can't sell you something,

All kinds of FRESH GROCERIES for Families, kept constantly on hand, and all goods warranted to give you satisfaction.

When you come to town, come and see us. In connection with the Grocery, we have created a large

BAKERY.

And have employed an experienced Baker, which will enable us to keep on hand all kinds of

establishments in this line. Don't forget the place—34 door from Honest Corner, at the sign of Bakery, Grocery and Provision Store.

PACKARD & FURRY.

March 25, 1854.

DIAGUERRETYPE.

THE subscriber wishes to inform the inhabitants of Plymouth and surrounding country that he has taken Rooms over Brooke & Houghton's store, where he is now ready to take Daguerrean Likenesses in a good and approved style, and engages to do that which will be satisfactory to those who wish to obtain so important a relic of their friends or themselves.

J. E. ARMSTRONG, 21c.

April 27, 1854.

New Establishment.

SILVERSMITHING.

THE undersigned having permanently located in Plymouth, for the purpose of carrying on the above business in all its various branches, would respectfully inform the citizens and the public generally, that he will promptly attend to their calls at his shop one door west of the corner in the old Plymouth Hotel, on Laporte street, immediately opposite Palmer's store, where he is now ready to

Repair WATCHES, CLOCKS,

Musical Instruments & Jewelry.

His experience in the business warrants him in assuring his customers that general satisfaction shall be the result of their trial of his skill. He intends making improvements as far as the patronage and wants of his customers may require. In a word he desires to keep up with the improvements and advancing progress of the town, and submit the patronage of the public to the test of his skill. He is making arrangements to keep a constant supply of **Clocks and Watches**, which he will sell as cheap as first rate articles of the kind can be bought elsewhere in Northern Indiana.

The highest cash price paid for old gold and silver.

M. G. RODGERS, 8c.

April 27, 1854.

NEW Boot and Shoe Store.

J. MEDANNE.

Late from Ohio, having taken possession

of the room formerly occupied by Mr. Burns, a few doors south of Plymouth street, where he has just opened the best lot of Eastern Manufactured work ever offered in this market, and which he is determined to sell as low as he can. He will also respectfully invite the attention of the families to his stock of **DRESS SHOES**, which consist in part of

GENTLEMEN'S GAITERS and Monterey

SHOES of different styles, JENNY

LIND BOOTIES and TIES, BUS

KIN BOOTIES of different

styles and qualities. Also

MISSSES & CHILDREN'S

SHOES of all kinds.

Gentlemen's Gaiters and Monterey

Shoes, together with a variety of other

Boots and Shoes of different kinds.

He also manufactures all kinds of work in his line to order, and intends to keep constantly on hand a general assortment of his own

manufacture of Boots and shoes of all kinds. Particular attention will be given to the manufacture of Gentlemen's Fine Boots and Ladies' Sewed Shoes of all kinds.

Having had a long experience in the above business, he flatters himself that he can give ample satisfaction to all who will favor him with a call.

N. B. Repairing done at the shortest possible notice.

J. MEDANNE, 21c.

April 27, 1854.

The Russian War.

BEING now in full blast, the subscriber is

permanently willing that the excitement

shall keep up so long as his war on high

prices will keep it up. At his Store at W. C. Green Mills; and he is still making the effort to keep a good and well selected stock of

DRY GOODS.

And everything necessary to supply the wants of his customers in the neighborhood. He is constantly receiving supplies of all the articles usually kept in a Dry Goods establishment.

He returns his thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore received, and he hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance, and respectfully invites his friends and neighbors to give him a trial. He charges nothing for showing his goods.

J. M. WICKIZER, 21c.

April 27, 1854.

Fresh Bread!

At the present prices of flour, families may

save themselves the trouble of buying bread

ready baked, at Packard & Furry's New

Bread, Pie, Cakes, &c., may be found at their establishment at all times, and Poulard Cakes and other baking done to order for weddings and other parties on short notice.

PACKARD & FURRY, 21c.

April 27, 1854.

Office of the Cin. Peru & Chicago Railway Co.

Peru, April 8, 1854.

THE Subscribers to the Capital Stock of this Company are hereby notified, that a second requisition of ten per cent, on the amount of their cash subscription, will be made on them payable on the first of June next, and a like requisition on the first of September next, to be paid in full of each month thereafter until the whole be paid.

JESSE RIGGINS, Secretary.

Saleholders living in Laporte county can pay to J. B. Niles, at Laporte, in Marshall county, to H. B. Pennington, at Plymouth, in Fulton county, Isham Hoover, at Rochester, in Washab, to C. S. Ellis, at Somerset.

April 24th, 1854. 8c.

Sale of Real Estate.

In pursuance of an order of the Common

pleas court of Marshall county, made at the April term 1854, I will offer for sale a

private sale in four lots from this date, the following described real estate belonging to the estate of John McFarlin deceased, to wit: Lot number 2 in Wheeler's addition to the town of Plymouth, which lot and the improvements upon it will be sold subject to the wild

one's claim for dower, upon the following terms: one third cash down, one third in six months, and the residue in twelve months, the purchaser giving notes bearing interest from date with approved security, and waiving valuation and appraisement laws.

WARREN TAYLOR, Adm'r.

April 27, 1854. 8c.

To Non Residents.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-

signed, with the County Surveyor, will, on

the 15th day of May, 1854, at 10 o'clock

a. m. on said day, proceed to survey and

locate the corner of his land in section

12, town 34 north, range 2 east, in Mar

shall county, to meet on the premises.

Non residents who fail to meet the sur

veyor at the time and place above men

tioned, and defray or provide for defray

ing their portion of the expense of said

survey, will be returned to the County

Auditor of said county, and such delin

quency placed on the tax duplicate of the

present year and be collected as other tax

es are collected.

JAMES McBRIDE, 21c.

April 27, 1854.

Millinery and Mantua Making.

Mrs. DUNGAN would respectfully in-

form the citizens of Plymouth and vic-

inity that she still continues the business of

Millinery and Mantua Making, and is pre-

pared to do the work in its most approved style

and in accordance with the latest fashions.—

She solicits a share of the public patronage.

Residence on the corner of Jefferson and

Michigan streets. April 20 1854-7m.

Clothing Store.

THE undersigned having located

in Plymouth with the

intention of making it his

home, and his present a per-

manent business, would inform

the public generally that he

intends keeping a general as-

sortment of

Ready made Clothing

TRUNKS, VALISES and SATCHELS.

And every thing that any poor destitute

creature may want, whether he be at or away from

home.

Don't forget to call at the Cincinnati Clothing

Store, No. 101 building near to Van

Valkenburgh's, which is emphatically the

place to call the naked.

HATS & CAPS.

And most everything that men and boys wear,

may be found in abundance, and at the low-

est possible cash prices. He wishes every

one to closely inspect the workmanship of his

clothing, as many are often deceived in that

particular by the discovery of cheapness. It is

too late, and which are not at all times very

easily repaired, unless the customer wishes to

carry a needle and thread in his pocket.

HENRY PIERCE, 7c.

April 20, 1854.

And I heard another voice cry aloud, saying

(that is, if you didn't hear it you now)

"unto all the people of Plymouth and the sur-

rounding country, that

Open door north of Pomeroy's brick Store, keeps

the largest, nicest, cheapest and best assort-

ed Stock of

BOOTS & SHOES.

READY & CLOTHING

NOW OFFERING IN THE MARKET.

Just Received.

A new assortment of Spring and Summer

styles of Coats, Pants, Vests, Stocks, Collars,

Shirts that you can "keep on." Coarse, fine

and all that you desire. All kinds of Lin-

enies wear, Misses Gaiters, Children's Fancy

Shoes, Leather Findings, &c. &c.

Custom Work always on hand.

And made to order on short notice, and

of our Shop Work is Warranted.

We sell low—cheap—"Don't Care" for

Cash, and shall not be undersold by any-

bodily, not even "the Regulator"—"tho"

"She spread her wings and soared aloft,"

"Hail out her own of letters roll,"

"And all that is just what we need."

We are in for "Free Trade," mean to live

and help everybody else too, and when we are

for your goods, we ask prices to suit the Goods,

and keep Goods to suit the customer.

We are an old citizen here, and helped to

make a town out of a wilderness, and they

are worthy of notice; now, after we have made

a point worth something, they are for getting

our places.

Give us a call—examine our stock and prices

and you will see that we are not a humbug, and

as you just as well, and a little cheaper than

any one else.

N. B. Shoemakers supplied with Stock or

any kind.

J. H. CANN